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PERSONALS.

Mrs. O'Neal is guest of friends here.

Senator Charles J. Faulner, of West Virginia, is attending commencement.

Miss Ellen Cameron is the guest of Miss Ellen Lee.

Mr. H. S. Conner, of Cincinnati, is the guest of Capt. W. F. Pierson.

Mrs. Snyder, of Charleston, W. Va., is the guest of friends here.

Mr. Harry Quisenberry is in Richmond.

Prof. L. L. Harris, of the University of Indiana, is visiting his mother, Mrs. C. J. Harris.

Professor William G. Brown and wife, of the University of Missouri, are the guests of Mrs. James J. White.

Mr. J. H. Charlton left last week for Pittsburg, where he expects to engage in business.

Major William Jolliffe and wife, of Buchanan, are attending the commencement exercises.

Miss Estelle White, of West Virginia, and Clara McCormick, of Fairfield, are the guests of Mrs. J. McD. Adair.

J. Gordon Waddell, who taught school the past session in Staunton, is at home for the summer.

W. H. Wilkerson and wife spent last week with Mrs. L. L. Watson, of near Goshen.

Hon. G. D. Letcher and bride have arrived in Lexington from an extended bridal trip to northern cities.

Miss Josie McLeod, of Collierstown, was the guest of Miss Bessie Adair on Monday.

Mrs. S. M. Waugh, of Baltimore, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. D. Rodgers, at the Bue for the summer.

Misses Nannie, Mary Preston, and Margaret Graham, have returned from Baltimore where they spent the winter.

Miss Kate Gibson, of Highland county, is the guest of Miss Minnie Pierson.

Mrs. Jayhugh Wills and Mr. Hugh Wills have returned from a visit to Washington, Baltimore, and Philadelphia.

President Wm. L. Wilson will deliver an address at the commencement exercises of the University of Chicago on July 1.

Buena Vista Herald: Miss Sallie Gillock, of Lexington, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Nuckols for several weeks, returned home last Sunday.

Mr. Richard Beetm, of the Roanoke World, is here to attend the marriage of his sister, Miss Irene, to Mr. C. H. Burrows, which will take place this evening at 9 o'clock at Trinity Methodist church.

Mr. R. E. Ebersole, of Winchester, a former student of Washington and Lee, and the past year a medical student at the University of Virginia, is here this week visiting friends.

Miss Margaret Witt, who attended the Roanoke Female College, Danville, Va., has returned to her home in this place, accompanied by Miss Emily Bradley who was her guest during commencement.

Pinecastle Herald: Miss Mae Brown of this place, is visiting friends in Rockbridge county.—Mrs. W. F. Fellers, of this place, has returned home from a visit to her daughter, at Natural Bridge.

Sergeant Wolfe, of the V. M. I., who has been in Richmond at Camp Lee assisting Maj. David D. Price, Quartermaster-General, in providing supplies for the U. S. troops, spent several days here this week visiting his family.

Staunton Record June 11: Col. Wm. A. Anderson, of Lexington, is in the city attending the Episcopal council. Colonel Anderson is one of the ablest Democrats in the State, and is regarded by his friends as available Congressional timber from the Tenth district.

Following the custom of years all the white churches were closed Sunday morning and evening in view of the commencement services at Washington and Lee University.

LOST!—Dog answering the name of "Rex," color, black, with white feet, shaggy, Shepherd and Newfoundland, \$5 is offered for his return to Mrs. Wm. G. HARTIGAN, Lexington, Va.

INTERESTING MARRIAGE.

Quite an interesting marriage was solemnized in the Lexington Presbyterian church last Thursday, June 9, at noon, when Miss Sadie Alexander McCorkle, a petite brunette of captivating manners, and daughter of Mayor and Mrs. Thomas E. McCorkle, became the bride of Rev. Charles J. Boppell, of Philadelphia, who is well known in Lexington, having been for four years a student at Washington and Lee University.

The church was beautifully decorated with potted plants and flowers, and triumphed with evergreens, the decoration being a loving tribute from the circle of the King's Daughters, of which the bride was a member. The bridal party entered the church to the sweet strains of Lohengrin's wedding march, Mrs. M. D. Edmunds presiding at the organ. First came the maid of honor, Miss Frances McNutt, of Rockbridge Baths, who was attired in a becoming gown of white organdie, followed by the bride, looking exceedingly pretty in a dark blue traveling suit, and carrying Bride's roses. The groom with his best man, Mr. John Bratton, of Lexington, met the bride in front of the pulpit where the impressive ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. Whaling, pastor of the church, soft music from the organ meanwhile filling the church and adding to the impressiveness of the scene. The ushers were Messrs James A. Walker, of Lexington; A. K. Anderson, of Richmond; J. E. Saunders, of Roanoke; J. D. M. Armistead, of Lynchburg; H. M. McIlhenny, Jr., of Staunton; and W. C. Laucke, of Luray.

The evening before the ceremony a delightful repast was served at the residence of the bride's parents.

Immediately after the marriage Mr. and Mrs. Boppell left for Philadelphia, to visit the groom's parents. After a visit of several weeks to friends in Northern cities they will return to Lexington and prepare for their journey to Africa, where will be the field of their labors as missionaries from the Northern Presbyterian church. They will sail from New York July 23.

Mrs. Boppell will be greatly missed in Lexington by a wide circle of friends with whom she was very popular. She was actively engaged in church work and was devoted to the Beechenbrook Sunday school and Christian Endeavor society. Mr. Boppell graduated this spring from Princeton Theological Seminary.

A COMING MARRIAGE

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. L. Farrer, of Craig county, Va., have issued cards announcing the marriage of their daughter, Miss Clara Virginia, to Rev. Oscar W. Lusby, which will take place at Bethel Methodist church, Craig county, Wednesday, June 22. Mr. Lusby will be remembered as a former student for several years of Washington and Lee, and was at one time pastor of the Methodist church at the Rockbridge Baths.

ESCAPED PRISONER CAUGHT.

Deputy Sheriff John A. Jackson returned Monday from Norfolk where he went to identify Wm. Douglass, colored, who escaped from the Lexington jail in February. It will be remembered that he was imprisoned for breaching into a store in Goshen in January.

The chief of police in Norfolk reported to Mr. Jackson that a negro bearing the name of the prisoner was in that city. He proved to be the man wanted. He is now secure in the Lexington jail.

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WASHINGTON AND LEE COMMENCEMENT.

The close of a successful year at Washington and Lee University began Sunday morning. The day was an ideal one and long before the hour appointed for the service, crowds of people could be seen wending their way across the well-kept campus towards the Lee Memorial chapel in which the exercises were held.

On account of the illness of Rev. Thomas Hume, D. D., LL. D., of the University of North Carolina, who was to preach the baccalaureate sermon, a change had to be made in the program. Rev. C. Armand Miller, pastor of the 21st street Lutheran church, of New York, occupied the morning hour and delivered his address before the Young Men's Christian Association. He was introduced by President William L. Wilson, and delivered a magnificent address from the subject: "Your young men shall see visions," based on Joel 2: 28.

The exercises were opened by the anthem, "The Sun Shall be no More thy Light by Day," followed by prayer by Rev. G. B. Strickler, D. D., of the Union Theological Seminary, Hamden Sidney, Va. The old hymn, "How Firm a Foundation," was then sung, after which Dr. Strickler read the 145th Psalm. The anthem, "Oh! Had I Wings Like a Dove," was followed by the address.

Mr. Miller said in part, "It is true that young men see visions. There is a haze of glory about the glimpses that youth, high-hearted, glad, full of bright anticipations cast on the pathway of the future, seeking to pierce the clouds in which that pathway loses itself. The difficulties and dangers of the journey he must tread, the hindrances and obstacles that have worn out the courage and overthrown the labors of others who started out with the same lofty aims and dauntless energy, do not give the young enthusiast to-day the least tremor of apprehension. They are visions, roseate and golden which the young man sees, as he stands on the threshold and peers out into the dim unknown." The preacher then portrayed the high ideals which every young man should set for himself, avoiding the enticements that lure him from the path of honor and rectitude. Closing he said: "And a tall all is done there shall be the beatific vision in which we shall ever dwell. The vision of faith shall yield to the vision of sight. The clouds shall all pass away and we shall see as we are seen and I shall know as we are known. Thus we shall see Him as He is and the vision shall transform us into His likeness. It may be that we shall behold Him in some unexpected hour when the toil of the harvest field shall be dropped at the summons and the other, at our very side, shall be left, wondering, while we are taken and caught up to meet the Lord in the sky. It may be that the weariness and pain of the sick-bed shall prepare us for the rest and joy of the land where the inhabitants shall never say 'I am sick.' It boots not. Somewhere, somehow, when our testing and our toil is done, He will say, 'Enough,' and we shall see His face and see Him without sense of labor or surcease of delight. And, then, forever with the Lord, enraptured, we shall look and never tire, upon the visions of supernatural beauty in our Father's house."

Rev. G. B. Strickler, D. D., of the Union Theological Seminary, and a member of the board of trustees of the University, preached a sermon of great power in the chapel at 9 o'clock in the evening, from Hebrews 11th chapter and the latter part of the 6th verse, his subject being "Faith." Introducing his sermon the preacher said every careful reader of the Bible has no need how much is said about faith. More prominence and power are asserted of this than of any other in the catalogue of graces. Many persons do not understand why so much is said of the power of faith, but when we realize that we can grasp the many rich promises of God only through the exercise of faith, then indeed we may understand something of its importance and why the inspired writers dwell on it to such an extent. There is no conflict between faith and reason. Reason rightly used can never come in conflict with the Scripture rightly interpreted, and conversely the Scripture rightly interpreted can never come in conflict with reason rightly used. It is a remarkable thing that in tracing back the history of the Bible we find the same things recorded of God in the various books, although they were written by forty different persons at different times and places and under varying circumstances. The preacher then showed the place that faith occupies not only in religion but in society and the business world as well. All our knowledge of every sort rests at bottom on faith, and faith alone.

A feature of Sunday's exercises was the music rendered by the following well-known home talent: Mrs. S. B. Walker and Miss Sallie Preston, sopranos; Mrs. Reid White, alto; Mr. F. H. Anschultz, tenor; Dr. Reid White and Mr. S. B. Walker, basses. Mrs. A. D. Estill presided at the organ.

The annual regatta is looked forward to with more interest than any other feature of the commencement, not only by the students but by the general public. For months the two crews had been in training for the supreme effort of one afternoon. At various points in town blue and red flags were displayed several days before the contest, thus indicating a preference for the success of Albert Sidney or Harry Lee.

Monday afternoon at 6 o'clock was the time for the race to begin, but like all the commencement exercises, this part of the programme was late. Long before that hour crowds of eager spectators were seen wending their way to the river. The small boy with his badge and whistle was greatly in evidence. A large number of country people were present. The banks of the river were lined and a great many persons were on the cliffs overlooking the race-course.

As the two crews pulled out from the boat house within a short time of each other and started up the river shout after shout was heard cheering their favorites. Now came the long wait, until the boats started at the beginning of the course, a mile up the river. The band, however, enlivened the time by playing patriotic airs. Soon the boats appeared around the bend when the excitement became more intense. Each side hoping that its favorite would be in the lead. The blues proved to be in front and when the g al was reached the reds had been overtaken by over half a boat's length. The race was a pretty one from start to finish. The blues got the advantage at the outset and held it until the race was won. This victory puts the Albert Sidneys one point ahead of the Harry Lees, since out of twenty-one contests the blues have won eleven and the reds ten.

THE CREWS.

The crews were as follows:

Albert Sidney (blue) in the Mildred Lee boat—Stroke, J. S. McCler, W. Va.; No. 3, G. W. Muir, Ky.; No. 2, Lister Witherspoon, Ky.; No. 1, J. R. Tucker, Jr., Va.; coxswain, Robert Nelson, Ky.

Harry Lee (red) in the Annie Joe boat—Stroke, R. Tucker Shields, Va.; No. 3, N. S. Fitzhugh, W. Va.; No. 2, G. B. Capito, W. Va.; No. 1, W. O.

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 - Don't see and wear yourself out making Ladies' Underwear when you can buy it in muslin and cambric from me at about the price you would pay some others for the materials.
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Bonnie, Ky., coxswain Gordon R. Houston, N. Y.

THE LITERARY SOCIETIES.

The final celebration of the literary societies took place Monday evening in the Lee Memorial chapel. Nine o'clock was the hour set for the celebration to begin, and the hour of the celebration was a rivals it was a rivalry 10 o'clock when President Wm. L. Wilson opened the exercises by reading the conditions of the contest.

On account of illness two of the speakers failed to appear. Mr. J. M. Mason, of W. Va., president of the Graham-Lee Society, in a few brief words welcomed the audience and stated that through the liberality of friends the society halls had been greatly improved. He then introduced Mr. W. W. Keyser, of Mo., whose subject was, "America Enslaved." Mr. J. S. McCler, of W. Va., was next introduced and spoke from the subject, "Stable Government or Revolution." Both gentlemen acquitted themselves with credit, both as regards the subject matter and style of delivery.

The medal was awarded to Mr. Keyser. The committee consisted of W. C. Preston, Esq., of Richmond, T. S. McPheeters, Esq., of Mo., and Capt. D. E. Moore, of Lexington. The music for the occasion was furnished by Stein's Academic Band of Richmond.

TUESDAY'S EVENTS.

Tuesday's program was an interesting one. At 11 o'clock Hon. Hilary A. Herbert, of Alabama, ex-Secretary of the Navy, delivered the address before the Law Class. His subject was, "The United States Supreme Court." The address created a profound impression, and was replete with historical references of the influence exerted by this august body upon the government of United States.

Hon. George B. McClellan, member of Congress from New York City, addressed the Literary Societies at 9 o'clock in the evening, his subject being "The Foreign Policy of the United States." His speech was in opposition to the annexation of foreign territory as being dangerous to the safety of our country. Such a course, said he, would be but the beginning of the end.

After Mr. McClellan's address the Pinkney Prize Cup was awarded to the Albert Sidney crew for their success in Monday's boat-race. Hon. H. St. G. Tucker, in a felicitous style, made the presentation speech.

TO-DAY'S EXERCISES.

Graduating exercises took place to-day. The Law Class Oration was delivered by A. W. Webb, of Maryland. This was followed by the address before the Literary Societies by T. S. McPheeters, Esq., of St. Louis. The Valectory Address was made by W. K. McClung, of Virginia.

The final ball will be held at the Gymnasium to-night.

Diplomas, certificates, prizes, etc., are as follows:

HONORARY APPOINTMENTS.

UNIVERSITY SCHOLARSHIPS.

In the Department of Latin: Cary Randolph Blair, Va.

In the Department of Physics: Frank Hamilton Anschutz, Va.

In the Department of History: Samuel Williams Frierson, Ala.

In the Department of Chemistry: Samuel Garland Hamner, Va.

In the Department of Geology: Samuel McCata Young, Miss.

In the Department of Civil Engineering: James Luther Morrison, Va.

In the Department of English: Charles Maurice Barnes, Va.

In the Department of French and German: Ewing Davidson Sloan, Mo.

ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIPS.

Taylor Scholarship: Lynwood Ruff Holmes, Va.

Young Scholarship: Randolph Tucker Shields, Va.

Crawshaw Law Scholarship: Robert Walter Withers, Va.

James J. White Scholarship: George Pettie Flashburne, Va.

Mapleson Scholarship: Robert Granville Campbell, Va.

Franklin Society Scholarship: William Cary Hattan, Va.

Bradford Scholarship: Herbert Brooke Chermiside, Va.

Custis Lee Scholarship: William Pinkerton Ott, Va.

Luther Seavers Birley Scholarship: Reginald Huter Joyner, W. Va.

Howard Houston Fellowship: Hugh Milton McIlhenny, Jr., M. A. Va.

PRIZES.

Robinson Medal of Ancient and Modern Languages: Le Roy Carr Barrett, M. A., Mo.

Robinson Medal of Mathematics and Science: Samuel McCata Young, C. E., Miss.

Early English Text Society's Prize: Livingston Waddell Smith, Va.

Edward Thompson Company Law Encyclopedia Prize: Edward Waring Wilson, B. L. Ky.

Santini Prize Medal: William Kyle McClung, A. B., Va.

Orator's Medal: William Wilson Keyser,

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William Kyle McClung, Va.	Ya.
Edward Asberry O'Neal, Ala.	Ya.
Randolph Tucker Shields, W. Va.	Ya.
Alban Goshorn Snyder, W. Va.	Ya.

CIVIL ENGINEER.

Gooden Randolph Houston, Va.	Ya.
Samuel McCain Young, Miss.	Ya.

MASTER OF ARTS.

Le Roy Carr Barrett, Mo.	Ya.
Benjamin Franklin Harlow, W. Va.	Ya.
Livingston Waddell Smith, Va.	Ya.

BACHELOR OF LAW.

Henry Watkins Anderson, N. C.	Ya.
Van Astor Batchelor, Ala.	Ya.
Borden Hughes Burr, Va.	Ya.
John Henry Dulin, W. Va.	Ya.
Charles James Faulkner, Jr., Va.	Ya.
Junius Rodes Flashburne, W. Va.	Ya.
Daniel McKinney Hammat, W. Va.	Ya.
Frederick Albert Lang, W. Va.	Ya.
William Daniel McSwen, Tenn.	Ya.
Albert Cabell Palmer, Va.	Ya.
Redmond Ira Roope, Va.	Ya.
Henry Smith Rucker, Va.	Ya.
Joseph Samuel Slicer, Jr., S. C.	Ya.
Charles William Fraser Spencer, Va.	Ya.
Grayson Lomax Thornton, Va.	Ya.
Charles Winston Waddy, Md.	Ya.
Albert Walter Waddy, Ky.	Ya.
Edward Waring Wilson, Ky.	Ya.

Honorary Degrees conferred by the Board of Trustees:

Rev. Goodrich A. Wilson, Va.	Ya.
Rev. Wm. McFaddin Alexander, Tenn.	Ya.
LL. D.	Ya.
Ernest B. Kruttschnitt, La.	Ya.
Robert Bonner, N. Y.	Ya.
Hon. Oscar S. Straus, U. S. Minister to Turkey.	Ya.

NEW TRUSTEES.

At a meeting of the board of trustees of Washington and Lee University, the resolution of Hon. H. St. G. Tucker was accepted, on account of his professional and four new trustees were elected: Gen. G. W. C. Lee, Ravensworth; Judge W. P. Houston, of Lexington; Rev. Dr. Fleming, of Lynchburg; and John S. Preston, Esq., of Lewisburg, W. Va.

A chair of Political Economy has been established with H. Parker Briggs, a graduate of the University of Chicago, as professor. Mr. Willis is a native of Racine, Wis., and spent last year studying in Germany, Italy, and France.

ALUMNI ASSOCIATION.

At the meeting of the Alumni Association of Washington and Lee University, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Rev. R. H. Fleming, D. D., Lynchburg, Va.; vice-president, John D. Davis, Esq., W. Va.; secretary, Paul M. Penick, Esq., Lexington; treasurer, W. M. McElwaine, Esq., Lexington; secretary, Prof. H. D. Campbell, Lexington.

Judge Horace Dufour, of New Orleans, has been invited to deliver the address before the Association next commencement.

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Rev. C. Armand Miller, of New York, a former vice-president of the Virginia State Christian Endeavor Union, gave an interesting talk at the Christian Endeavor Society of Trinity Methodist church Sunday afternoon. The Beechenbrook Society was invited to meet with them.

Mr. Charles W. Irvine, for many years proprietor of the Irvine Hotel of this place, has leased the Gleason Hotel of Charlottesville, Va., and will take possession on the first of July.

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FOR twenty-three years from 1860 to 1883, wheat brought considerably over one dollar a bushel in New York city, ranging in price during those years from \$1.18 to \$2.41. We now have had fifteen years of starvation prices for the farmers, and aside from war it is time for a change in favor of the farmer, and he may safely expect better prices for some years to come. Horses have advanced 25 to 30 per cent. in Chicago and such centers. This advance should be felt right here. Potatoes, onions and beans will bring fancy prices so long as the war lasts, and every farmer should plant a good patch of each.

NOW with good prices for produce, how easy it will be for our country friends to supply themselves from cleaning up our potato patches. We have just made up beautiful Shear Lawns at 4c, and lovely Organdies at 5c. These goods are as pretty and as fine as you have been paying 10 and 12c. for. These goods are even cheaper than our 4c. Ginghams. This is no "Cheap John" lot of stuff, but beautiful fresh goods that will be picked up quick and cannot be replaced.

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OUR Grocery Department is replete with everything the housekeepers can find at this season of the year. We received a lot of country Hams and Shoulders to-day weighing 75lbs. each. These are dainty pieces for the fastidious folk of Lexington.

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A DIFFERENT PERSON.

Roekingham, Va., June 9.—Mrs. E. D. Raking of this place, states that she is feeling like a different person since she began the use of the well-known medicine, Hood's Sarsaparilla. She was weak and tired and her health was much run down. Hood's Sarsaparilla has given her new vigor, and she strongly recommends it to everyone who needs a tonic or blood purifier. The success of Hood's Sarsaparilla in helping weak and tired women is well known.

Staunton Record June 13: John A. Jackson, deputy sheriff and jailer at Lexington, Va., was among the strangers who spent Sunday in the city. He arrived Saturday evening from Norfolk, and owing to the admirable system of Baltimore and Ohio and Chesapeake and Ohio connection, he was compelled to lie over in Staunton till this morning at 6 o'clock, although on urgent public business. Mr. Jackson had in charge Wm. Douglass, a colored man charged with felony, who escaped from the Rockbridge county jail in February last, and was on the 7th instant recaptured at Lexington to answer an additional charge of jail breaking. Mr. Jackson met many friends of former days in Staunton, who gave the big, kind-hearted custodian of laws offenders a cordial welcome.

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